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 For : INFORMATION PROCESSING SYSTEM USING REMOTE  
 CONTROL, WITH DEVICE AND METHOD THEREFOR (AS  
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below.  
☐ This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

Claims as Amended

(1)	(2) Claims remaining after amendment	(3)	(4) Highest number previously paid for	(5) Present extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total claims	50	Minus	** = 98	* 0 x	\$50 (25)	= \$ ()
Independent claims	6	Minus	*** = 12	* 0 x	\$200 (100)	= \$ ()
Total additional fee for this amendment						\$ ()

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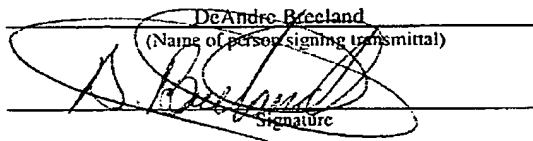
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- ☐ This application contains a multiple dependent claim. The required fee of \$300 (150) has been previously paid ☐, or is paid herewith ☐.
- ☐ This response is being filed within the \_\_\_ month following the expiration of the term originally set therefor. This is a petition to request a \_\_\_ month extension of time. A check covering the cost of the petition is enclosed.
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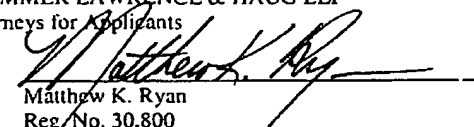
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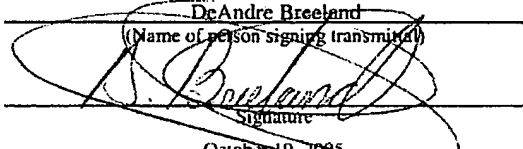
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.121**

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Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed on July 21, 2005, having a three-month  
statutory period for response set to expire on October 21, 2005, please amend the above-  
identified application as follows.

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**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins  
on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 32 of this paper.